

LATEST NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

GRANT AND PARKER
CLASH TONIGHTWrestling Bout Between
Two Popular Stars.

THINKS GOTCH A WONDER

Visitor Says Iowan Can Throw Jenkins
Every Fifteen Minutes—Grant
in Fine Condition.

"It pays to keep in condition."

Such was the opinion laid down by Harvey Parker, the great wrestler and midweight wrestler, who is to go on with Joe Grant to a finish, best two falls in three, at the Washington Light Infantry Armory tonight. Following this simple rule has evidently paid Parker, for he had a young jewelry store on his right hand, and displayed a wad of money that was as full of yellow streaks as the Kid Wilson who fought Louis Miller on Friday night. As he casually flipped off the high boys in the roll Parker announced that he was willing to bet it all on himself, and only wanted to find some Washington boys to meet his gentle advances. He will probably be able to get rid of some of this superfluous maxima when the proceedings open tonight.

Wrestling Growing.

Parker said that he had been touring around in Ohio and that the game was going great out there. There were matches in every town, and victims were plenty for a man of his ability. He was able to get down many bets, as many of his opponents were larger than himself, and they thought it was all over but the shouting when they saw a small man.

Harvey saw the match between Tom Jenkins and Frank Gotch, and said it was to laugh. He declares that he is willing to bet that Gotch can throw Jenkins as often as he wants every fifteen minutes, and that the Iowa man is the best in the country. He said:

Fastest Big Man.

"Gotch weighs about 190 pounds and is the fastest big man on his feet I ever saw. Considering his size he is almost cat-like in his motions, and there is no wrestler in America today who has any show with him at catch-as-catch-can or any other style. He has worked his way to the head of the profession, and deserves all the credit he is receiving from those who are students of wrestling."

"He is not only powerful physically, but he is scientific to a degree, and it is a pleasure to watch him work. Besides his wrestling, he has the additional advantage of being extremely popular personally. In this respect he much resembles Joe Grant, and when he has been in town for any length of time he is sure to draw a big house whenever he appears."

Grant Confident.

Grant is as confident as is Parker of winning tonight and the Washington boy has friends who declare that he will more than wipe out the defeat he sustained at the hands of the Massachusetts man some years ago. He took a good rest after his bout with Fred Zell, but went into active preparation about a week ago, for his bout tonight and his every movement shows that he is in better shape now than he has been for a long time. His practice on the mat has been fast and furious and he has devoted much time to throwing heavier wrestling partners, for tonight it will not be a case of letting the other fellow do all the work, but he must get busy and go after Parker as often as Parker goes after him.

There will be two preliminaries, in one of which Cuche Neil, who claims to be the bantam champion of the District, will have a chance to display his prowess in a finish bout with another likely youngster. The other preliminary will be between two of the most promising lightweights in the city.

TOM LOFTUS DICKERING
FOR KANSAS CITY CLUB

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Tom Loftus, one of the best known baseball managers in the country, will, in all probability, be the owner of the Kansas City club of the American Association before the next meeting of the magnates of that league.

It is understood that the only question that stands in the way of a transfer of the players and franchise is that of a park, a satisfactory understanding having been arrived at with the present owners on the price of the club.

The plan is not to use the new park, as it is more valuable for other purposes, and if a satisfactory lease on the old Western League grounds can be arranged George Tebeau will retire from Kansas City in favor of Tom Loftus.

BUSINESS HIGH
TRACK TOURNEY

Preparing for Second Annual Meet in Spring.

LAW SCHOOL RELAY TEAM

Georgetown Runners in Feature Event.
To Get Out Candidates for
Championship Games.

Preparations for the annual field and track meet of the Business High School Athletic Association, at Georgetown field in April, are progressing rapidly. These games were held last year for the first time, and they were such a success that it was decided to repeat them and add several features. Last spring the meet was arranged on short notice, but the entry list was fairly large, and there was a good attendance. This time, with more of a chance for the athletes to get into condition, it is expected that next April's meet will be satisfactory in every way.

For Championships.

These competitions are held primarily to get out class teams and bring out athletes who would not report otherwise, and later on develop these new men for the team which will represent the school in the high school championships.

The following are the chairmen of the different committees which have the preparations for the tourney in hand: Entries, Colclough; eventing, Bowles; Grounds, Bowles; finance, Walker; press, Johnson. The regular officers of the field and track association are: Manager, Corbett, 1905; assistant manager, Hendricks, 1906; and graduate manager, Hemphill.

The Georgetown Law School relay team, which defeated Gallaudet at last year's meet, has accepted the invitation to run again next spring.

SPORTING COMMENT.

Jimmy Gardner wants to meet Billy Melody at 142 pounds at Chelsea, Mass. If Melody is unwilling, Gardner says he will take on any lightweight in New England. Notice he doesn't include any territory which includes Joe Gans.

Fighting Dick Hyland has announced that he is ready for another fight with Frankie Neil, and is willing to make a good bet on condition that winner take all the fighters' end of the purse.

The negro question in intercollegiate athletics has again arisen, and Pennsylvania will not send a relay team to the Georgetown indoor meet because the Blue and Gray will not agree to have the latter club now claim that he was reserved for next season and promised to play.

Ed Greene, a member of the Pennsylvania relay team which defeated Harvard at Boston last Saturday evening, is one of the best athletes in the intercollegiate world. When he was at Exeter he was a member of the football and track teams, and since entering Penn has made quite a name for himself. He won his P as halfback on the football team, and was considered one of the best men in that position in the country. He led his man home in the relay Saturday, and, except Taylor, is about the fastest man on the quarter. He is six feet two inches tall, weighs 165 pounds, and is twenty years old. "Long Green" is his nickname.

Fred Glade, the star twirler of the St. Louis Americans, denies the report that he is married and says he will play next year.

Poker Bill Carrick, a member of the local misfits three years ago, has signed with the Fall River club for next season. Last season he played with Haverrill under the name of Page and the latter club now claims that he was reserved for next season and promised to play.

Despite reports to the contrary, Tyler, the crack left-handed twirler, will captain the Columbia varsity nine next spring. In the fall it was reported that he had left the New York institution, but he is again on deck and will be at the helm next season.

Old John L. Sullivan has bestirred himself and refuses to be outdone by other press agents. He has issued a challenge to meet Jim Corbett.

John M. Ward, the former Giant captain, has been elected president of the New Jersey Interclub League.

TOM ROLAND.

BOWLING STANDINGS.

DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Bureau	45	20	.696
Interior	42	21	.677
Commissioners	40	23	.635
Navy Yard	38	25	.600
Agriculture	35	31	.526
G. P. O.	30	39	.438
Treasury	24	35	.333
Commerce and Labor	21	42	.333
War	11	46	.192

DISTRICT LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Saengerbunds	36	9	.800
Acme	22	14	.611
East Me.	22	14	.611
Market House	22	14	.611
North Capitol	22	14	.611
Florists	5	40	.119

REAL ESTATE LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Flaher	43	10	.811
Columbia	40	10	.800
Elmer	38	12	.760
Lawyers	32	16	.667
District	22	22	.500
Assessors	20	31	.396
Surveyors	9	42	.176

ARCANUM LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Oriental	16	8	.667
Capital	15	12	.556
National	14	13	.518
District	11	12	.483
Oray	6	21	.222

POST OFFICE LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Delivery	22	8	.733
Station B.	24	9	.727
Registry	20	10	.667
Mailing	17	19	.474
Miscellaneous	9	18	.333
Station G.	5	28	.152

PLATE PRINTERS' LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	25	5	.833
New York	16	18	.471
Chicago	14	14	.500
St. Louis	15	18	.455
Boston	12	18	.400
Washington	9	21	.300

RAILWAY LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Mechanical	25	8	.758
Eastern	20	7	.741
Roadway	25	11	.694
Columbia	18	13	.577
General Office	14	19	.423
Southern	15	21	.417
Lighting Company	14	22	.388
Northeastern	7	22	.238
Northern	5	22	.189

BOWLING SCORES.

DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Agricultural	181	182	183
Gorman	195	143	217
Rice	178	165	161
Williams	167	161	161
Drake	167	161	161
Field	174	181	202
Totals	887	836	958

ROYAL ARCANUM.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Capital	128	167	129
Hutterly	164	158	158
Redeker	173	161	137
Burley	116	151	211
Beckert	211	154	220
Eckstein	211	154	220
Totals	792	791	844

PLATE PRINTERS' LEAGUE.	1st.	2d.	3d.
St. Louis	92	99	146
Springmeyer	149	123	169
Rosenbaum	115	144	124
Lang	157	125	204
Helmericks	204	158	211
Land	717	707	845
Totals	141	231	343

DUCK PINS.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Toledo	90	91	115
O'Hare	104	95	86
Wolf	91	106	97
C. Tolson	91	95	96
Byrd	94	102	96
Z. Tolson	94	102	96
Totals	474	482	490

ARLINGTONS.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Al Fenton	80	81	88
A. Fenton	80	84	92
Vekmeyer	87	82	89
Art Fenton	84	83	81
Ross	104	89	83
Totals	445	450	444

Manager Selee has thus far signed nine outfielders for his Boston club. Ought to find a good trio in this crowd.

COLUMBIA TEAMS
MADE LOW SCORE

Washington Men for Milwaukee Did Poorly.

ONLY TWO REACHED 200

Cox Got There Twice and Miller Once—Can Do Better Work.

Columbia No. 1 and Columbia No. 2, two teams which are to represent this city at the national bowling tournament at Milwaukee, the latter part of this month, rolled a match set at the Palace Alleys last night.

No. 2 won the first game with a margin of fifty pins, making 892 to its opponent's 842, but in the second and third games No. 1 rolled much better, twice

passed the 900-mark and took both games.

The average scores made by the different bowlers were disappointing, considering that within two weeks these two teams will meet the best in the country, but as each member of both quints is capable of much better work the followers of the ball and pin sport in this city are not perturbed by last night's work.

Prudent Cox, of the District League, a member of No. 2, did about the most creditable bowling, making two 200 scores and in the last game 179, which was his lowest mark. Willie Miller, of No. 1, got 216 in the middle game, which was, with the exception of Cox's, the only other 200 score made.

At the Palace Alleys tomorrow night the Market House team of the District League will roll a set with the Monarch quint, which is composed of the pick of Baltimore's bowlers and which will represent the Monarch city at Milwaukee.

Scores Last Night.

Columbia No. 1.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Krause	165	172	169
Harlow	129	150	191
Rodrick	139	150	191
Miller	182	216	193
Spies	157	169	199
Totals	842	922	961

Columbia No. 2.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Allison	189	168	192
Warren	165	198	166
Cox	213	201	179
Bunn	158	138	167
Campbell	167	190	192
Totals	892	896	896

CHURCH LEAGUE
TO BE ENLARGED

President Prevost Suggests Sixteen-Club Circuit.

Little of real importance was accomplished at the meeting of the Sunday School Athletic Association at the parish hall of the Mt. Pleasant Congregational Church last night.

The principal business before the meeting was the discussion upon proposed amendments, but as all of the delegates were not prepared to act upon the proposed changes in the constitution, the secretary was directed to make copies of the amendments and send them to the club in the league.

Sixteen Clubs.

President Prevost, in his speech to the meeting, spoke on the advisability of enlarging the league so that there would be sixteen clubs next season instead of twelve, as was the case last year.

While nothing definite was done in this regard, the consensus of opinion is that when the matter comes to a vote the suggestion of the president will be favorably acted upon. There are a large number of teams representing different churches which are anxious to gain admittance to the organization, but until it is finally decided to add clubs the discussion upon the best clubs to admit will not be in order.

If the circuit is enlarged to include sixteen clubs another grounds will have to be found, and some site in Northwest will be selected, which, together with the Mt. Pleasant and the Ellipse grounds, will put three diamonds at the disposal of the league.

It is generally believed that the next season will commence about April 21, and run up to about the middle of September. The campaign will probably be divided up into three series.

Board of Directors.

The board of directors which will act upon all important questions before the league follows:

G. A. Prevost, president, Gunton Presbyterian; T. W. Fowler, vice president, Mt. Pleasant M. E.; A. L. Dieckrich, secretary, Mt. Vernon M. E. S.; J. E. West, treasurer, Mt. Pleasant Congregational; F. W. Boigiano, Fourth Presbyterian; H. E. Doyle, Gurley Sixth Presbyterian; M. D. Thompson, Mt. Pleasant M. E.; F. Colladay, Fourth Presbyterian; A. A. Miller, Wilson M. E.; Walter Price, Fifth Baptist; Solomon C. P. Jr., Douglas M. E.; P. D. B. Ingalls, First Congregational; William B. Green, St. Stephen's P. E.; J. B. Kinnear, Calvary Baptist; A. O. Clark, Metropolitan Baptist.

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